

Kucinich Announces Witness List for Hearing to Examine Nuclear Loan Guarantees

****TOMORROW****

Washington D.C. (April 19, 2010) – Chairman Kucinich (D-OH) today announced the witness list for the oversight hearing entitled “Nuclear Power’s Federal Loan Guarantees: The Next Multi-Billion Dollar Bailout?” The hearing will be held **tomorrow at 2:00 pm on Tuesday, April 20, 2010 in room 2154 Rayburn House Office Building.**

The purpose of the hearing is to evaluate the economic advisability of increasing the amount of loan guarantees for construction of nuclear power plants and to determine whether the issuance of those loan guarantees is likely to lead to a large bailout of the nuclear power industry.

The Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, of which the Domestic Policy Subcommittee is a part, is the principal investigative committee in the House of Representatives.

Witness List

Panel One

Mr. Peter Bradford

Former member, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Former Chairman, New York State Public Service Commission
Former Chairman, Maine Public Utilities Commission
Adjunct Professor, Vermont Law School

Dr. Arjun Makhijani

President
Institute for Energy and Environmental Research

Mr. Jack Spencer

Research Fellow in Nuclear Energy
Thomas A. Roe Institute for Economic Policy Studies
The Heritage Foundation

Ms. Leslie Kass

Senior Director of Business Policy and Programs
Nuclear Energy Institute

Panel Two

Dr. Mark Cooper

Senior Fellow for Economic Analysis
Institute for Energy and the Environment
Vermont Law School

Mr. Henry Sokolski

Former Deputy for Non-proliferation Policy
Office of the Secretary of Defense
President and Executive Director
Non-proliferation Policy Education Center

Mr. Richard Caperton

Policy Analyst
Center for American Progress

Mr. Michael D. Scott

Managing Director
Miller Buckfire and Co., LLC

Mr. Christopher Guith

Vice President of Public Policy

U.S. Chamber of Commerce

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